

TOMBSTONE EPITAPH.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

From Friday's Daily.

J. S. Robbins and wife left for home this p. m.

J. D. Groesbeck was a passenger on the incoming stage today.

Mrs. Chas. McHenry accompanied her daughter to San Diego.

Sheriff Kelton paid into the county treasury today \$3890.00 account of license for month of July.

Mrs. F. L. Moore left today for Ash Canyon where she will be the guest of Mrs. Robbins.

W. H. Sebastian, representative of the great Tea house of Sigfried Stein of San Francisco, is here to sell our merchandise.

If the weather is not stormy tonight O. S. Fly will exhibit in front of his gallery on Fremont street, a life size transparency of O. Homo.

C. O. Case of Phoenix, a gentleman of ability and an eloquentist of more than ordinary talent, will give a free entertainment tonight at the Methodist church.

The acorns are said to be so plentiful in the Huachuca mountains this year that Mexicans come up from Sonora to gather them. They are worth two dollars per bushel on the other side of the line.

As will be seen by reference to another column the firm of McDonough and Noble has dissolved. Mr. Noble retiring. The latter's health makes it advisable for him to retire from active business life.

R. W. Wood will place his daughter Miss Ebbie in the South West Institute at San Diego. Miss Carrie Bagg will attend the same institution.

General Wardwell, C. S. Fly and Marion Aubrey who went to Bisbee on P. O. S. of A. business, had a view of the cave recently discovered and are most enthusiastic over its beauty.

The C. H. & T. Co have a line of Gents Furnishing Goods which never was excelled in Tombstone. The finest of everything in the line of Neckwear, Underwear, and Fine Summer Over Shirts are being sold at less than New York prices.

A. L. Walker, superintendent of the Old Dominion Copper Co., advises miners and all laborers to give Glor a wide berth as there are now ten applicants for every vacancy.

The following appointments have been made from Cochise county by Acting Governor Murphy as delegates to the Irrigation Convention to be held in Salt Lake Sept. 15, 16, and 17: M. W. Stewart; J. A. Montandon; S. C. Bagg; E. B. Gage.

COUNTY RECORDS

LEASE.

John Gahl to L. Vidal and Joe Madero, Yreka nine 6 months \$1.

Consumption cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Brouchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all Throat and Lung Affections, and a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp as follows: W. A. Noyes, 820 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.

SALTON LAKE.

The people of both Arizona and southern California are beginning to realize that there has been a radical change in the climate of both sections during the past few months. Today is the last day of July and no rain to speak of has fallen in southern Arizona, a showing which is rare, if not alone, in the history of the inhabitants of the past ten years. The change is more pronounced in California in an opposite direction. An old resident of Anaheim, Los Angeles county, writes to the Express regarding the change in which he says:

"Of course the principal topic of conversation now is the extraordinary torrid weather of the past few days, and it seems to be a common opinion that the new Salton sea is responsible for the hot wave. The former great heat on the desert caused an ever-ascending column of hot air, which created a vacuum and attracted the cool breezes of the Pacific desertward. Since the desert has been covered by the water of the Colorado river, we

days of rain fell and at a defined rainbow appeared in the southeast; later there was considerable thunder and lightning. Cannot the presence of these clouds in midsummer be explained by the enormous evaporation that constantly takes place from this newly formed large body of water? There are well founded grounds for the fears expressed that this new inland sea will eventually make a complete change in the climate of the southern counties of our state. Will the change be for the better, or will the new sea in course of time disappear."

The Parent of Insomnia.

The parent of insomnia or wakefulness is in nine cases out of ten, a dyspeptic stomach. Good digestion gives sound sleep, indigestion interferes with it. The brain and stomach sympathize. One of the prominent symptoms of a weak state of the gastric organs is a disturbance of the great nerve entrapment, the brain. Invigorate the stomach and you restore equilibrium to the great centre. A most reliable medicine for the purpose is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which is far preferable to mineral sedatives and powerful narcotics which, though they may for a time exert a soporific influence upon the brain, soon cease to act, and invariably injure the tone of the stomach. The Bitters, on the contrary, restore activity to the operations of that all important organ, and their beneficent influence is reflected in sound sleep and a tranquil state of the nervous system. A wholesome impetus is likewise given to the action of the liver and bowels by its use.

Another Cave.

George Kohler who has been camping for a month past with John Waters, in the Huachuca mts, made a discovery that is worth investigating. On the top of the mountain between the heads of Saw Mill canyon and Tanner canyon, they found an opening about three feet square with no bottom visible. A stone was dropped down and seemed to be lost in space as no sound came up. A heavier boulder was then dropped in and as it struck the sides of the cavern it produced the most ominous sounds, but it was not till it reached its destination that the distant thundering noise appalled them by the unearthly roar. Mr. Kohler thinks the bottom must be 500 feet below the surface and from the sound must be of large dimensions as it seemed to echo from side to side each time that the sides were hit by descending rocks. The mountain is of lime. The discovery is worth investigating out of curiosity if for nothing more substantial.

New York—The Times says: Mr. C. P. Huntington said yesterday that the death of Mrs. Hopkins Searles will in no way affect the management or policy of the Southern Pacific railroad although Mrs. Searles was a very large stockholder of Southern Pacific stocks. The important interests held by her first husband, Mark Hopkins, passed to her and now they will go to Mr. Searles.

HOMO'S PARTNERS.

They Do Some Guessing At His Request, and He Gives the Result to the "Prospector."

O. Homo has been at work upon the inmates of the county jail, and the following lines from his pencil will be, if not edifying, at least interesting.

Crucified, and the Temple is Rent in Twain with wonder:

The sinners outside are excited because they cannot unravel the mystery, but the saints in the temple are all broken up with consternation and amazement because they cannot size up the wild man who talks to them

den of Eden and is now peddling apples, in the shape of photos, to many daughters of Eve. On account of the many scars, old King Solomon in this front believes he is trying to escape from his many mother-in-laws. He is the Indian Messiah as predicted by Sitting Bull to gather together the wild tribes and scatter civilization to the winds. Forthwith David strikes Goliath for another chew. On noticing the partly developed hairy tail, Judas in the other cell concluded that he is Darwin's Missing Link, and is only waiting for a chance to go out and sell him to Barnum and go out and take a tumble to himself. The strangest thing of all is the figure representing the sun and many lines of character resembling shorthand characters branded on his person, and for that Joshua swears that he is a resurrected Inca of sun worshiping Peru, and Joshua is now praying for the sun to set that he may kill a few more amalekites. (Amalekites is Hebrew for bedbugs.) But Jesus says he was looking for a suit of ready made clothing but could not find the Jews because they did not advertise in the Daily Shoot Off, consequently he is chewing the scraps of the Delmonico for 30 days in the Tomb (stone) dreaming sweet dreams of Resurrection morn when ye Angel the (T)stone shall roll away from O. Homo.

WASHINGTON—Chairman Quay and Treasurer Dudley of the Republican National committee have resigned their offices and their resignations have been accepted.

WASHINGTON—Chilian envoys in Washington emphatically deny the truth of the reports sent from Santiago to the effect that thousands of soldiers of the congressional army at Iquique refused to leave there when ordered to Atams, because they had not received their pay.

WASHINGTON—The superintendent of the recruiting service will cause 25 recruits to be assigned to the tenth infantry and forwarded to the department of Arizona and 25 recruits to be assigned to the eighteenth infantry and forwarded to the department of Texas.

SAN DIEGO—In view of the high prices for provisions and breadstuffs, now prevailing in Iquique and other Chilian ports, a movement has been started in this city, looking to the chartering of a vessel to ply between this port and Iquique to engage in the trade. The vessel has, in fact, already been secured, and if proper encouragement is extended to the enterprise by local merchants in the way of making up a cargo, the vessel will sail in two weeks.

Ten Guesses.

A TRAMP.

I think Homo is nothing more than a tramp seeking notoriety which he is getting at the expense of the public. He acts as though he had been crossed in love and was hiding away from the world. I came out to this country myself, with my clothes on, however—to hide away from the world, and have succeeded in doing so for the past five years.

Miss K

CHARLEY ROSS.

I was intimately acquainted with Charley Ross' father and recognize in the features of Homo the likeness of him who spent a fortune and a lifetime in hunting his boy. If this man had any feeling for his parents he would go home instead of making a holy show of himself on the public high way.

J. C. R.

PHILOSOPHER AND HERMIT.

I am of the opinion that Homo is the

H. E. I. I am constrained to believe the man to be the late manager of the Crystal Ice Works. I judge so from the reason that this man had no money on his person when arrested and the lamented Harry went away from Tombstone broke.

APOLLO BELVIDERE.

I think he is Apollo Belvidere. My reasons are—just because I think so. A. R.

APOLLO BELVIDERE.

About three months ago there were assembled council of four men, each pledged to secrecy: The possibilities of a certain undertaking discussed at length. In a spirit of bravado, one of the number proposed to accomplish a seeming impossibility. * * *

After journeying a long distance. * * * One of the two after giving up what seemed an essential to success * * * The other returned to await developments * * * Obstacles innumerable presented themselves to thwart his plans, but with an iron will and determined resolution, worthy a better cause, pressed on. As a certain amount of time had to be disposed of what looked like a serious obstacle, was both a loss and a gain. * * *

As the future is uncertain, we will leave the present with the assurance of *Humani nihil alienum.*

MERLIN AMBROSINS.

PARIT—The Chilean congressional party have issued a statement to the effect that the election of Vicuna as president was null and void for several reasons, because as president of the cabinet he organized a coup d'etat in January last, thus violating the constitution because the election was not carried out in conformity with the law relating to elections; because only a part of the country voted and because the election occurred during a suspension of tribunals charged with a settlement of electoral disputes.

OTTAWA—At 4 o'clock this morning the house of commons divided on Sir Richard Cartwright's amendment to Hon. Mr. Foster's motion to go into committee to consider the resolutions containing the tariff changes. The amendment which sets forth that it be resolved that the government should forthwith reduce all duties on articles of prime necessity, and more particularly on those most generally consumed by artisans, fishermen, miners and farmers, and further that negotiations which the house has been informed are to be opened in Washington in October, should be conducted on a basis of the most extended reciprocity trade between Canada and the United States in the manufacture as well as natural products. This was defeated. The vote stood 88 yeas to 114 nays.

BY WIRE.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO PROSPECTOR.

WASHINGTON—A statement prepared at the general land office shows that there were issued by that office during the year ended June 30 last, over 114,000 patents for agricultural lands. These included homesteads and other classes of entries.

CHICAGO—The labor assembly of this city has decided to issue a warning to the workmen of the world not to come to Chicago in expectation of getting work in connection with the world's fair.

PORTLAND, Ind.—For the past three weeks grasshoppers have been appearing in the border counties of Indiana. They first appeared in the meadows and then in the oat fields. The latter crop, a portion of which was harvested before fully ripe on account of their ravages, is nearly out, and grave fears are entertained that the insects will now turn their attention to the corn.

SAN FRANCISCO—Advises by the steamer City of Peking which arrived here tonight state that the following telegram dated July 13th had been received at Yokohama July 13th at 3 a. m. The steamer of Tanaka Marue of Hakodati while returning from Suto with 320 laborers on board came into collision with the steamer Megoshia Marum off Shirgali. The Tanaka Marue sunk with the loss of 260 persons drowned and missing. The captain and first officer and sixty laborers reached shore.

DENVER—Heavy rains are reported today all over the state. At Lamar great damage has been done by the

downpour. All trains are late at Grand Junction, and the same is true at Pueblo.

"German Syrup"

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Bald heads are too many when they may be covered with luxuriant growth of hair by using the best of all restorers, Hall's Hair Renewer.

Our wild man gets the following notice in the S. F. Chronicle: "The Arizona wild man who has the garb of the garden the fig-leaf period allowed to work his own way. He was thrown into jail with an opportunity of cruelty of civilization has turned his

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